

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 3689**

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 08020.0013-00  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Hilmar WECHSEL ) Group Art Unit: 3689  
Application No.: 10/787,205 ) Examiner: Thuy-Vi Thi NGUYEN  
Filed: February 27, 2004 ) Confirmation No.: 4680  
For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR )  
MANAGING PRODUCT RETURNS )  
USING RETURN AUTHORIZATION )  
NUMBERS )

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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed February 24, 2010, the period for response extending through May 24, 2010, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 17 of this paper.